



PATENT  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Justin Sharaf	
Serial No.: 10/010,159	Art Unit: 3653
Filed: November 13, 2001	Examiner: Rodriguez, Joseph C.
For: MAGNET STRUCTURES FOR TREATING LIQUIDS AND GASES	

Commissioner for Patents  
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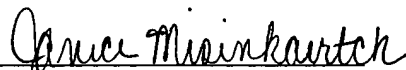
**RESPONSE**

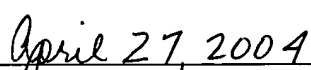
This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated October 27, 2003. In the Office Action, a three-month response period is set to expire on January 27, 2004. A request for a three month extension of time along with the associated fee is filed concurrently herewith. Accordingly, the deadline for filing this response is April 27, 2004. It is respectfully submitted that no other fees are believed due or payable. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-2820.

Applicant requests reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the Amendment and Remarks below.

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## **AMENDMENT**

Please amend the application, without prejudice, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.